

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (currently amended) A fore posture gaiter for a horse, comprising the fore posture gaiter comprising a weight, characterized in that and wherein the fore posture gaiter is realized in such a way as to be placed on a leg of the horse and above the a knee of the horse.
2. (currently amended) The gaiter as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that wherein the weight is disposed on the gaiter in such a way that it is directed according to a predefined orientation when the gaiter is fixed on the horse.
3. (currently amended) The gaiter as claimed in claim 2, characterized in that wherein the weight is disposed on the gaiter in such a way as to be directed towards the inside of the horse.
4. (currently amended) A hind posture gaiter for a horse, comprising a hind posture gaiter comprising a weight, characterized in that wherein the gaiter is realized in such a way that the weight is disposed in the upper part of the gaiter and the weight is disposed for location above a hock.
5. (currently amended) The gaiter as claimed in claim 4, characterized in that wherein the gaiter is realized in such a way as to be fixed below the hock.
6. (currently amended) The gaiter as claimed in claim 4, characterized in that wherein the weight is disposed on the gaiter in such a way that it is directed according to a predefined orientation when the gaiter is fixed on the horse.

7. (currently amended) The gaiter as claimed in claim 6, ~~characterized in that~~wherein the weight is disposed on the gaiter in such a way as to be directed towards the inside of the horse.

8. (currently amended) A use of a weighted fore posture gaiter for a horse, ~~characterized in that~~wherein the gaiter is fixed above ~~at~~the knee of the horse.

9. (currently amended) A use of a weighted hind posture gaiter for a horse, ~~characterized in that~~wherein the gaiter is fixed below ~~at~~the hock.

10. (canceled)

11. (currently amended) The use of a weighted hind posture gaiter as claimed in claim 9, ~~characterized in that~~wherein the weight is set in the upper part of the gaiter.

12. (currently amended) The gaiter as claimed in claim 5, ~~characterized in that~~wherein the weight is disposed on the gaiter in such a way that the weight is directed according to a predefined orientation when the gaiter is fixed on the horse.